



Lone Peak Engine Program







Lone Peak Engine Mission Statement

The Lone Peak Engine program provides wildland fire suppression and other fire management services on public and private lands. Working in communities provides opportunities to educate the public about wildfire hazards. Training and national assignments brings a level of proficiency for the benefit of Utah.

2007 Fire Season Report

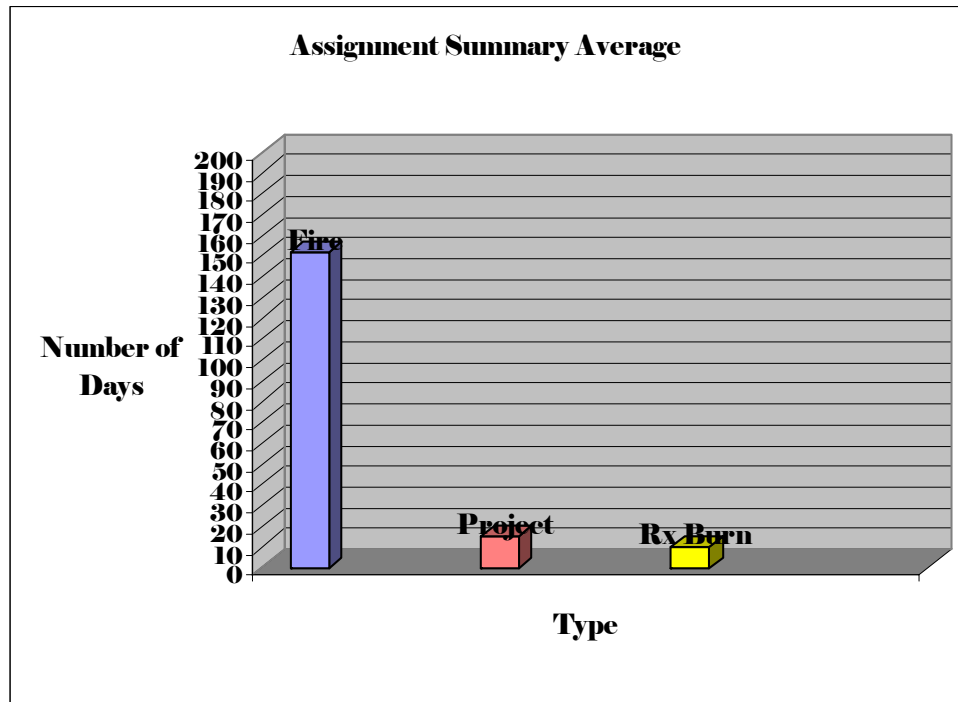
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2007 Assignment Summary



The Lone Peak Engines started with a May 8th dispatch to Georgia. The season stayed busy with Utah, Idaho, Florida and California fire calls. Assignments included firing operations, mop-up and holding. Engines ended their season with the Southern California fires Mid-November.





2007 Season Summary



The Lone Peak Engine program is part of The Department of Natural Resources and is managed by the Utah Division of Forestry, Fire and State Lands. The Engine Program consists of Type 6 engines and in the near future...the addition of Type 4 engines. This year we initiated a 3 year study of gathering information of costs, unable to fill orders, water refill turn-around times, training and safety. We respond to incidents both nationally and locally as a State Agency. The 2007 season, as with most, was a very successful one. Georgia, Florida, Montana, Idaho, California and of course Utah were response areas. Our season began in early May and ended mid-November. As we ended our fire season of suppression and protection, our prevention part of the season kicked in. In coordination with NFP (National Fire Plan) we provide a service throughout Utah of applying defensible space standards in the urban interface.



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2007 Fire Assignment Breakdown



Engine 627

Incident Dates	State	Mgmt. Type	Fuel Type	Fire Size	Incident Name
May 8th-29th	GA	Type 1	1,2,3,4,5,7	G	Big Turn Around Complex
June 4th	UT	Type 5	2,5,10	B	Dennis Cabin
June 9th-10th	UT	Type 4	1,3,5	C	Top Lift
June 14th	UT	Type 4	1,3,5,6,8	B	Holt
June 20th	UT	Type 4	1,3,5,6,8	B	Ucolo
June 25th-26th	UT	Type 4	1,3,5,6,8	C	Old Park
July 3rd	UT	Type 4	1,3,5,6,8	B	Clay Pit
July 7th	UT	Type 5	1,2,5,6,10	A	Paige Ranch
July 7th-9th	UT	Type 3	1,2,3,5,6,8,9,10	G	Milford Flats
July 16th-17th	UT	Type 4	1,5	D	Powerline
July 17th-19th	UT	Type 4	1,5	E	Red Hollow
July 20th	UT	Type 4	1,5,10	C	Test Site
August 1st	UT	Type 5	1,5	A	Canaan Corner
August 9th	UT	Type 5	1,	A	Mile 16
August 16th-18th	UT	Type 4	1,2,3,5,8,9,10	C	Mesa
August 18th-19th	UT	Type 4	1,5,10	D	Bunker
August 20th-22nd	UT	Type 4	1,5	D	Vandenberg
August 22nd	UT	Type 5	1,	A	Mile 49
August 30th	ID	Type 5	1,3,5	B	Eastside
August 31st-Sept 1st	ID	Type 5	1,5	B	Sparrow
September 2nd-6th	ID	Type 4	1,3,5	E	Middle Mountain
September 11th-19th	ID	Type 1	1,2,3,5,10	G	East Zone Complex

Fire Size

A	0-1/4 acre
B	1/4 -10 acres
C	10-99 acres
D	100-299 acres
E	300-999 acres
F	1000-4999 acres
G	5000+ acres

Fuel Type

1-3	Light (Grass)
4-7	Medium (Brush)
9-13	Heavy (Timber)

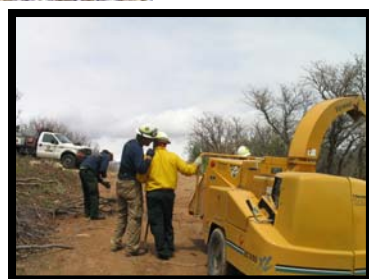




2007 Project Summary



Early season at Lone Peak usually starts with projects, primarily the mitigation of fuels within the urban interface. Prevention of property loss and natural resource loss due to wildfire is the prime consideration. Cutting, chipping and even controlled burns are conducted before, during and after the fire season. Lone Peak engines and crew perform this service state wide. The 2007 season started in northern Utah and ended in southern Utah. These practices not only provide home and property owners with assurance but help the firefighter prepare for the seasons oncoming incident duties. Due to a nationwide high rate of fire incidents, Lone Peak project services were at a minimum during the 2007 season.





2007 Lone Peak Engines Crew



Program Coordinator:

Adam Heyder

Engine Foremen:

Ben Huntsman

Steve Rutter

Ralph Murray

Brad Chandler

Engine Crew Members:

Paul Christensen

Beth Gerber

James Pummel

Mark Wiggins

Kyle Walters

Ray Black

Neal Kennington

Shane Fowles

Detailers:

Ranin Peirce: Fuels Crew

Brandon Harm: BD Crew

Russel Morris: Fuels Crew

Chance Lunceford: UFRA

Josh Gibson: Fuels Crew

Kris Bruington: Lone Peak Hotshots

Corey Stone: Twin Peaks IA



2007 Overall Season Summary

Number of crew availability days: 157

Number of days on Fire assignment : 143

Number of project days: 10

Number of 14 day assignments: 3

Number of days of paid R&R: 10

Number of unpaid R&R days: 5

Task Books completed:

- Type IV IC 1**
- FFTI 1**
- ENOP 1**
- ENGB 1**
- TFLD/INVF 1**

